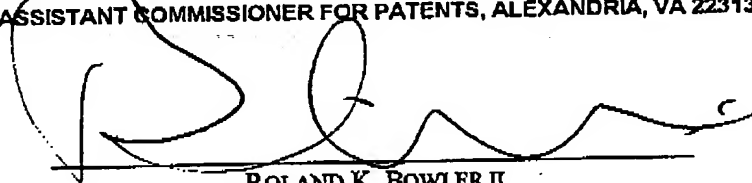


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☒ Election & 37 CFR 1.115 submission (7 pages);

☒ The Commissioner for Patents & Trademarks is hereby authorized to debit any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 from, and to credit any excess fees paid herewith to, **Deposit Account No. 02-3290** of the undersigned in connection with the papers presented herewith.

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Kindly enter the following amendment before further examination of the
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In the Claims:

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